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MEMORANDUM FOR: Deputy Director (Administration)

SUBJECT : Payment of Claims of Military Personnel

OGC Has Reviewed

1. I greatly appreciate your interest in connection with expediting payment of claims of military personnel. Under separate cover I have forwarded to you the claim of [REDACTED] 25X1A9a
 The latter involves a claim for movement of household goods authorized service personnel under Joint Travel Regulations, but denied to M/Sgt [REDACTED] 25X1A9a because of assignment with the Agency.

2. The examples mentioned in our Staff Study on "Morale of Military Personnel" referred to the claims of Lt. Commander [REDACTED] and [REDACTED] 25X1A9a
 [REDACTED] Commander [REDACTED] left the Agency with- 25X1A9a
 out having been informed that his claim for clothing allowance had been 25X1A9a
 approved for payment. The matter first came to our attention when Com- 25X1A9a
 mander Higgins, our contact in Bureau of Naval Personnel, called Colonel [REDACTED] 25X1A9a
 in June of this year stating that Commander [REDACTED] had never re- 25X1A9a
 ceived reimbursement for clothing allowance, although he had applied on 25X1A9a
 more than one occasion. Upon investigation, it developed that payment 25X1A9a
 had been approved and all Commander [REDACTED] had to do was to submit a 25X1A9a
 voucher to collect his money. Commander [REDACTED] indicated that other 25X1A9a
 officers in his detachment also had claims for clothing allowance pend- 25X1A9a
 ing, but he left the Agency without mentioning their names.

3. Papers relating to the request for reimbursement of tuition 25X1A9a
 to [REDACTED] were forwarded to your office on 24 25X1A9a
 August 1954. Since then the Office of the General Counsel has published 25X1A9a
 an opinion indicating that [REDACTED] was entitled to reimburse- 25X1A9a
 ment and the opinion also set forth certain criteria which should be
 helpful in handling future cases of this type.

4. At the same time the Office of the General Counsel approved pay- 25X1A9a
 ment of the claim of Major [REDACTED] which had been pending since 25X1A9a
 1 July 1954. This claim was paid on 6 October 1954 and all papers re-
 lating to the case are believed to be in the files of our Finance Office.
 Major [REDACTED] has prepared a summary of the case, which I have attached. 25X1A

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